Remarks

Claims 1-12 were pending.

Claims 1-9 and 12 are amended.

Claims 10 and 11 are original.

Claims 13-16 are new.

The application now contains claims 1-16.

Claims 1 and 7 are amended to remove multiple ranges. Claim 1 is further amended to introduce Markush language and add the phrase "any of" in the two definitions of C_{10-30} aryl group. Claim 7 is further amended to delete redundant recitation of limitations found in the parent claim.

Claims 2, 6 and 8 are amended to delete redundant recitation of limitations found in the parent claim.

Claims 3-5, 9 and 12, are amended to remove multiple dependencies. Claim 4 is further amended to replace the word "especially" with "or" in the definition of R20.
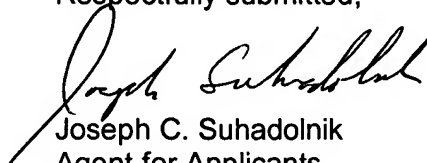
Claim 9 is also amended for clarity by rewording the phrase "including compounds of formula I wherein Y is" to read "and/or compounds of formula 1 wherein Y is".

Claim 12 is also amended to delete electroluminescent devices and convert it to a composition claim.

Claims 13-15 are added to reclaim material deleted from claims 1-3; claim 16 is added to reclaim material deleted from claim 7.

No new matter is added. Consideration of the present claims on their merits is respectfully awaited

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